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OUTLINES.

Twenty-three bodies have been recovered from the Coaldale, Va., mine in a gas explosion yesterday; the dead numbered on Thursday; the dead men had their hands to their faces, showing that they were suffocated——In the House of Representatives yesterday, Representative Champ Clarke of Missouri, spoke in favor of the Philippines tariff bill, and for three hours kept the House in a roar of laughter with his sallies at the Republicans; beet sugar growers are opposed to the Philippines bill——In Russia the military is employed mercilessly to suppress the revolutionists; report say that children are carried on bayonets by soldiers, and men are left strung up dead along the roads; the recolutionists at Riga have murdered 28 policemen——Two negro murderers escaped from jail at Wytheville, Va., Thursday night, one being shot and recaptured——The express companies have joined the railroads in discontinuing granting free favors to anybody——In the Duke divorce case at Trenton, N. J., yesterday, the Court of Errors and Appeals denied Mrs. Duke a stay of proceedings that she may carry the case from the New Jersey courts to those of New York——New York markets: Money on call much easier at 2 to 9 per cent., ruling rate 6 1-2 to 7, closing bid 1, offered at 3; spot cotton quiet at 11.85; flour dull; wheat easy, No. 2 red, 91 1-4 elevator; corn steady, No. 2 old, 57 1-2 elevator; oats steady, mixed, 36 1-2 to 37; turpentine dull at 68 to 68 1-2; rosin quiet.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 5, 1906.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Friday, Jan. 5th.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 42 degrees; 8 P. M., 42 degrees; Maximum, 54 degrees; Minimum, 42 degrees; mean, 48 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, .75.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Thursday, 24 feet and rising.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Saturday and Sunday; light west winds.

PORT ALMANAC—Jan. 6.

Sun Rises ..... 7:10 A. M.
Sun Sets ..... 5:03 P. M.
Day's Length ..... 9 hrs. 44 mts.
High Water at Southport.. 4:57 A. M.
High Water at Wilmington 7:27 A. M.

Is Uncle Sam going to take his police club and go on duty in Santo Domingo?

If this wave of moral awakening keeps up a man will be considered fishy who is willing to buy anything at a less price than anybody else pays for it.

When McCall resigned as president of the New York Life, he said if there was anything he could do for the good of the company he would not omit it. The directors believed it and accepted his resignation.

In his love letters a Chicago man addressed his sweetheart as "My Peach." He married her and she is now suing for divorce and $500,000 alimony. A crate of peaches like that would surely make Carnegie die poor.

Says the Washington Post: "Paul Morton is represnted as 'the father of the anti-rebate plan to be adopted by the life insurance companies.' Where have we heard that man's name before in connection with rebates?' Gee, but perhaps he learned something on the road to Damascus.

President McColl, of the New England Manufacturers' Association, says "the price of cotton will continue to be determined, as it always has been, by the old economic laws of supply and demand." However, the cotton growers propose to amend the law of supply and they are pretty apt to do it, too.

The Star regrets to note that Editor Robert E. Follin, of the Winston Journal, is to sever his connection with North Carolina journalism. He has accepted a position on the staff of the New York Commercial. He is one of the State's bright young newspaper men, and was making an excellent paper of the Journal.

Young Wadsworth, twenty-eight years of age, who was on Tuesday elected speaker of the New York Assembly, says he had no aspirations for that position till Governor Higgins selected him as his man for it. We suspect that Higgins never thought of it till President Roosevelt thought of it first. Wadsworth is the son-in-law of President Roosevelt's late Secretary of State, Hon. John Hay.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Other Local on Fourth Page

—Notice has been given that the final meeting of the creditors of P. O. Hall, bankrupt, will be held Monday, January 15th.

—License has been issued for the marriage of Mr. Albert L. Mott, Jr., and Miss Eula May Taylor, formerly of Pollocksville, N. C.

—The attractions the coming week at the Academy of Music are Mr. Howard Kyle in "Mozart" Thursday night and Billy Kersands' minstrels the following night.

—A trio of dusky damsels, Florence Lane, Dora Purnell and Sophie Griffin, beamed upon "Judge" Bornemann in his Princess street justice depository yesterday. They were charged with disorderly conduct on Eighth, between Swann and Nixon streets. The Purnell and Griffin duo couldn't pay fines and went to jail for the county farm.

—The clay-bank, Texas pony of 'Squire McEvans, which has been a familiar figure on the streets for several years, dropped dead in his stable a few mornings ago. There is hardly a man or boy of affairs about town that doesn't know the pony, hence this obituary mention. He was a good pony—when he was asleep. But he slept not often.

—"Judge" Bornemann yesterday committed to jail for the Superior Court one Robert McLean, colored, charged by Lottie Davis, a negress, with having come to her house in Gerdes alley, smashed the door in, struck her with a piece of iron and having thrown a brick at her as she fled. The description of the affair was vivid and the "judge" was so overcome with the outrageous conduct that he personally rebuked the prisoner before sending him to jail.

MR. CRESTON CLARKE.

Production of "Monsieur Beaucaire" a Theatre Event Extraordinary.

Mr. Creston Clarke and company, presenting under the management of Jules Murry, the favorite comedy romance, "Monsieur Beaucaire," by Booth Tarkington, was one of the theatrical triumphs of the season, both as to the artistic production on the stage and the large and fashionable audience which witnessed it. The company is composed of actors and actresses trained in their art and supplied with a wealth of beautiful lighting effects, scenery, costumes, etc. to enhance the favorable impression made by the book a year or two ago.

Mr. Clarke was seen in the same offering here last season but among his most enthusiastic admirers last evening were those who witnessed the play before. Mr. Clarke is in a class all by himself and he seemed to be at his best in the play last night. It is to be regretted that the present will be the last season that he will lend his presence and his talent to "Beaucaire." A new play is being written for him now, but with it he can hardly be expected to share a more artistic triumph than he has for the past two seasons in the romance, the title of which he has made famous in the world of theatres.

COMMISSIONERS' HEARING.

Lumber Controversy Between W. T. Sears and Waccamaw Company.

In the Court House in this city yesterday afternoon further testimony was taken before J. R. Williamson, Esq., commissioner, in a contempt proceeding against Mr. W. T. Sears and others growing out of a controversy over timber lands between the Waccamaw Land and Lumber Company and Mr. Sears and associates. In the taking of the testimony, which will be continued to-day, the Waccamaw people are represented by Iredell Meares, Esq., of Wilmington, and Homer L. Lyon, Esq., of Whiteville. Mr. Sears and others are represented by Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy and Herbert McClammy, Esq., of Wilmington. The hearing lasted until 6 o'clock yesterday evening when a recess was taken until this morning when the case will be completed. Miss Stella Shrier is the court stenographer.

The first of the testimony was taken at Whiteville Wednesday a week ago but the hearing was continued to Wilmington for the sake of convenience. About 25 or 30 witnesses are here for the trial and several of them testified before the commissioner yesterday.

Mrs. Addie Cox Dead.

Mrs. Addie Cox, wife of Mr. James Cox, of this city, died Thursday night at her home No. 24 Meares street, after an illness of about two weeks. Death was due to pneumonia. Mrs. Cox is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Littleton. Deceased was 44 years of age. The funeral will be conducted from the late home this morning at 10 o'clock and the interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

Greenfield Mill Pond Survey.

Capt. Walter G. MacRae has completed his survey of the Greenfield mill pond property for the city and promises blue prints of the lines today. The proposed purchase from Mr. Turlington, it is understood, covers only a small area of the pond, next to the dam. It is further understood now that the efforts of the Water Commission will be directed toward an investigation of a deep well water supply for the proposed municipal plant.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

S. W. Sanders—Groceries.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted—Boarders.

People's Wood Yard — Blackjack Wood.

W. B. Crumpler & Co.—Wines and Whiskies.

TO EXTEND WHARVES

Business Men Meet and Endorse Plans to Extend Champion Compress Docks.

ENLARGE THE HARBOR LINES

Beginning at Princess Street and Extending to Near Hanover—Petition of Messrs. Sprunt & Son Favored by Wharf Owners.

The application of Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son to the United States War Department for permission to extend the wharves at the Champion Compress beyond the present harbor line or to extend the harbor line itself so as to permit an extension of the wharves thereby facilitating the large cotton export business of the firm in this city, was unanimously recommended at a meeting of business men interested at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon.

The meeting was called by Capt. R. P. Johnston, in charge of the Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., for this district, and a goodly number of business men were present, including President J. A. Taylor and Secretary Kyle, of the Chamber of Commerce; Maj. E. W. VanC. Lucas, late of the U. S. A., and of the firm of Hugh MacRae & Co.; Mr. H. G. Smallbones, superintendent of the Clyde steamship Co., in this city; Mr. C. W. Worth, of the Worth Company; Mr. H. C. McQueen, of Murchison & Co., and president of the Murchison National Bank; Mr. James H. Chadbourn, former president of the Chadbourn Lumber Co.; Mr. A. A. Ayeilhe, general agent of the Seaboard Air Line in Wilmington; Capt. Edgar D. Williams, harbor master; Mr. B. F. Keith, Collector of Customs; Capt. W. H. Northrop; Capt. R. C. Merritt and Mr. Scherer, of the Engineers' Corps; Capt. T. C. Fearon, of the British ship Fitzjames; Capt. C. Kragh, of the British steamer Brighton; Capt. A. L. DeRosset, editor of The Independent, the Messrs. Sprunt and others.

Capt. Johnson presided at the meeting and read the application of Messrs. Sprunt & Son, which was briefly that the docks might be extended 60 feet beyond the present line in order to accommodate the larger class of steamers now trading to this port of which about 50 are dipatched annually to foreign ports, loaded with cotton. Capt. Johnson explained that the Secretary of War might grant the request of the petitioners by either of two ways—permitting an extension of the wharves beyond the harbor line or extending the harbor lines so that the wharves could be extended within the new boundary.

The Messrs. Sprunt explained that they were not asking for any exclusive privileges and, if desired, an extension of the harbor line all along the immediate water front would be perfectly agreeable to them. The present docks run from 281 to 326 feet in length. Many steamers which the firm now load are over 350 feet long and the mooring of such steamers is attended with the risk of collision with passing barges or logs or other floating dangers to the propellers of the steamers projecting into the river. Also they are obliged in such cases to moor a flat or barge alongside the quarter of the exposed ships in order to load or unload the after hatches and this is attended with considerable risk and expense, and frequently with much delay. Capt. Kragh, of the S. S. Brighton, explained these dangers and delays using as an illustration his own ship, which is now receiving a cargo of cotton at the Champion Compress. Capt. Fearon verified the statements of Capt. Kragh.

Blue prints of the proposed extension of the wharves were submitted both by Capt. Johnson and the Messrs. Sprunt and the question was informally discussed at some length, both as to possible encroachment on the channel and the formation of eddies and coves to wharves above and below the extension. These matters were satisfactorily agreed upon and a motion by Mr. Worth was finally adopted unanimously as follows:

"That the application of Alexander Sprunt & Son for permission of the Secretary of War to extend the line of their docks at the Champion Compress and Warehouse plant, 60 feet beyond the present line be unanimously approved by this meeting with the understanding that the several harbor lines as now laid down by the War Department be made in accordance therewith to extend from Princess street to midway between Red Cross and Hanover streets, other wharf owners to be permitted to extend their lines in accordance with this departure from the approved harbor lines, it being in no sense prejudicial to the handling of shipping in the Cape Fear river."

The Messrs. Sprunt thanked Capt. Johnson and the gentlemen present for their kindly consideration and generous action.

The resolution of the meeting will be certified to the War Department by Capt. Johnson and the permission will likely be granted so that the improvements may be completed before the beginning of the next cotton season.

Want the Currie Property?

Unconfirmed reports are to the effect that the Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Co. are negotiating for the purchase of the valuable Currie property, at corner of Second and Princess streets, recently acquired by Mr. Jno. F. Garrell, the purpose being to convert the building into a modern station for the suburban line. Mr. Garrell has nothing to say as to whether or not he has been approached by the Consolidated people.

ROLLER SKATING CRAZE.

In Middle of Streets the Sport Will Not be Tolerated.

The roller skating fad has well nigh reached the proportions of a craze among the little folks of Wilmington. A little while before the holidays the sport was just gaining possession of the juneville mind in the city and the result was that on Christmas morning the cherished gift among all that Santa Claus brought to many homes was a pair of roller skates. The little folks naturally turned out succeeding days en masse on the plain, smooth surface of the sidewalks and streets of the town and property owners who had gone to the expense of laying granolithic sidewalks to beautify their homes, found the invasion so great that several of them were forced to appeal to the police for self protection. There was an ordinance on the books and the Chief of Police made proclamation that upon complaint of residents, the skating must stop. Then a howl went up from the youngsters from the four corners of the city and sympathizing older folks began to write pieces to the newspapers and complain to the officials that the matter was too trifling for the authorities to take note of. The result was that the Board of Aldermen relented by suspending the prohibitive ordinance except in instances where property owners objected.

Then there was another outpouring of the little folks with due regard to the rights of objecting property owners and Chief Williams was beginning to congratulate himself that his troubles were over. But he had reckoned without his host, for the children "on wheels" turned out in the streets in such numbers on pleasant afternoons that persons driving in some sections of the city found it exceedingly difficult to get along. Into the ear of the Chief of Police poured stories of hairbreadth escapes of children in the streets and relief was demanded. Before it was a question of property; now it became a question of life, and Chief Williams could do nothing less, as much as he regreted it, to instruct his men in the future to allow no skating in the middle of the streets. The order goes into effect to-day and parents of the little folks, for their own safety, are asked to co-operate with the officials in keeping the children out of the streets, especially in congested portions of the city.

CONDUCTORS IN SAVANNAH.

Annual Meeting of Coast Line Men in Georgia City.

The general committee of the Order of Railway Conductors of the Atlantic Coast Line territory, extending from Richmond to Tampa, is in session in Savannah.

The committee is composed of ten members, each representing a division of the Coast Line as divided by the order. Capt. John M. Walker, of Wilmington is chairman of the committee and presided during the session yesterday, which was held at the Pulaski Hotel. The sessions will continue through several days. Reports from the various divisions are being discussed in order and with thoroughness.

It is understood that the matter of increased wages for conductors is under discussion. Chairman Walker stated to the Savannah News that the committee would take up the matter of "raising low joints." This expression in vernacular of the rail means that there is a lack of uniformity in the payment of the men and it is sought to place them all upon the same footing. If such decision is reached conferences with the railroad officials may follow.

It is the annual meeting of the committee and a number of matters have accumulated demanding the attention of the committee, but without any special public interest.

Present at the meeting are John M. Walker, of Wilmington, J. S. Brooks, of Richmond, J. G. Kornegay, of Portsmouth, C. McCulloch, of Wilmington, T. H. Harlee, of Florence, H. A. Wells, of Charleston, H. D. Williams, of Savannah, J. O. Lewis, of Waycross, W. M. Lewis, of Montgomery, and F. H. Hursey, of Lakeland.

THE ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

Report of the Treasurer For Month of December.

Receipts—New Hanover county, $125; cash, $5; Mrs. Adam Empie, $5; cash, $2.50; cash, $25; Mrs. A. A. Watson, $1; Mrs. W. R. Kenan, $10; cash, $2; Mrs. Stephen Jewett, $2; Mrs. W. L. Parsley, $25; a friend, $5; Miss Bernard, $1; St. Paul's Lutheran Church, $26.22.

Expenses—Secretary's salary, $25; Catherine Kennedy Home, $12.50; groceries, $118.75; rent for those in need, $8; janitor, $2.50; cash help, $1; wood, $16.95; railroad fares, $5.35.

A Runaway Wedding.

There was a runaway match in Pender Thursday evening, the couple being well known young people of that county—Mr. James G. Blake, of South Washington, and Miss Eveline Powers, daughter of Mr. Kenyon Powers, of Willard. By apointment the couple met in Burgaw and were united in marriage at the Methodist church, the officiating clergymen being the Rev. T. D. Johnson and the Rev. Mr. Sanford. A few relatives and friends attended. Mr. Blake and his bride took the evening train for his home at South Washington, and yesterday morning they came to Wilmington, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Horsey, the latter being a cousin of the bride. After spending the day at The Orton, the visitors returned home last evening. Mr. Blake is a prosperous young merchant and postmaster at South Washington and his bride is one of Pender's most prominent and popular young ladies.

AFFAIRS OF Y. M. C. A.

Report of General Secretary Dusham to Board of Directors Last Night

NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER

Large Attendance During the Mid-Winter Bible Classes, Gymnasium, Men's Meetings and Other Departments.

The Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association met last night in the building, the session having been most important because of its having been the first since the mid-Winter work was well under way. The most interesting feature of the meeting was the report of General Secretary Charles Dushan for the months of November and December. That part of the report which will be of general interest to the public is as follows:

"During these two months seven Bible classes have been conducted for men with an attendance of 121, and six for boys with an attendance of 71. Nine meetings for men were conducted with an attendance of 381. This is small, but nothing has been left undone to attract them to our building. They simply would not come in larger numbers. When I say that we have had some very fine speakers and good music, and that nearly 9,000 invitations have been distributed, you will readily understand that an effort has been made to secure their attendance.

"Two hundred and nine volumes have been drawn from the library, and the attendance at the reading room has been 1,875. Fifty-six gymnasium classes have been conducted with an attendance of 1,038 to which should be added the number of those who used the gymnasium outside of classes and we have a total of 1,040. About seventy different members were regularly enrolled on the basket ball teams and at least 125 played at different times. One hundred and seventy-five different members are enrolled in the classes; 3,417 baths were taken during these two months. The attendance at skating has been about 1,500. Twenty-five strangers were directed to boarding houses. Nineteen visits were made to the sick. One social was conducted for boys with an attendance of 54. The attendance at the building was nearly ten thousand or an average of 150 per day. I am glad to report that we are still able to meet all bills promptly month by month."

WRECK ON A. C. L. AT RENNERT.

Passenger Train Had Narrow Escape This Week Near Fayetteville.

(Fayetteville Observer, 5th.)

There was a wreck on the A. C. L. at Rennert day before yesterday, in which the escape from loss of life was miraculous.

Northbound passenger train No. 80, due here shortly after noon, was running an hour late, and in passing a freight at Rennert, which was pulling on a side track to get out of the way, the engine struck the last car, which had not cleared the main track. The engineer and fireman of No. 80 jumped just before the crash came, which completely demolished the engine and two of the freight's cars, which were loaded with cement. The shock was terrific, and the cloud of dust from the cement, mingled with the steam from the prostrate iron monster, obscured the vision for several minutes. When smoke, steam and dust had cleared away it was found that no one was hurt. The train was delayed about three hours. Mr. Charlie Wright, of this city, was among the passengers who had such a miraculous escape.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Transfers Which Appears From Deeds Filed For Record Yesterday.

From deeds filed for record yesterday the following real estate transfers appear:

Andrew Smith and wife to Roger Moore, Thos. H. Wright and P. Q. Moore, for $100 and other valuable considerations, property on north side of Princess, 90 feet east of Front street, known as Smith building property.

Roger Moore, Thos. H. Wright and P. Q. Moore to S. Behrends, for $9,000, flat property in rear of Smith building.

Ungrateful Tramps.

On Wednesday night two white tramps, claiming to be from Virginia, stopped at a colored man's house in the country and asked to be allowed to stay there for the night as it was raining very hard and threatening on the outside. The colored man kindly consented to house the two renegades but imagine his surprise the next morning when the strangers returned the hospitality by stealing a fine gun and sneaking out. The colored man followed the tramps to within two miles of the city and demanded the return of the property. They finally gave the gun up, but it was with reluctance. A subscriber in East Wilmington writes to warn the people against the impostors.

Organ Recital at Immanuel.

An organ recital will be given at Immanuel Presbyterian church on Sunday night at 7:45 o'clock. The congregation, together with the choir, of the First Presbyterian church, will be present and take part in the service. The new organ which has just been placed in the church will be in use for the first time. A musical treat is in store for all who are present. All the friends of Immanuel are most cordially invited to be present on this occasion and rejoice with the congregation.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. A. T. Clark, of Bolton, was here yesterday.

—Mr. R. F. Devane, of Red Springs, is a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. G. W. Horsey and wife, of Burgaw, were here yesterday.

—Col. A. H. Slocomb, of Fayetteville, is here on a business trip.

—R. E. Lee, Esq., of Lumberton, was here yesterday on professional business.

—Mrs. Lee E. Powell and son, of Whiteville, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. S. A. Schloss left yesterday to look after his theatrical interests in Raleigh and Charlotte.

—Mr. Tom Ellers returned yesterday morning to Trinity College to resume his studies in theology.

—Miss Alice Rendleman, of Salisbury, N. C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. F. Ruffs, Jr., at 411 Grace street.

—Mr. Howard C. Curtis, Southport, and N. Cortland Curtis, of Chapel Hill, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. Thos. R. Walton, of New York, after an absence of 20 years, is here on a visit to the scenes of his boyhood.

—Friends of Mr. I. J. Sandlin, of East Wilmington, will regret to know that he is still confined to his home in East Wilmington with pneumonia.

—Mr. John J. Blair, Superintendent of City Schools, has returned from High Point. Mr. Blair's mother, who has been so serjously ill, is much improved.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Murray, of East Wilmington, has just returned from a pleasant visit of a few days to Mrs. Murray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Kelley, of Cronly.

—Mr. F. Carley West, of the passenger department of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, has returned from a very pleasant visit to his old home "Down in Old Mobile."

—Fayetteville Observer: "There is a good-sized freshet in the Cape Fear. The Tar Heel is expected up from Wilmington to-morrow. The City of Fayetteville will not leave Wilmington for the up trip before Monday."

—Mr. Alfred Klesse, for several years a tailor with Messrs. Munson & Co., in this city, and a trapeze performer of some note in the theatrical world, will sail from New York on the steamship America for his old home in Germany where he will visit his mother whom he has not seen before in four years. Friends of Mr. Klesse wish him a safe voyage and an early return.

A. C. L. WAYCROSS SHOPS.

Proposals Received at Headquarters in Wilmington Until Jan. 29th.

In this week's issue the Manufacturers' Record, of Baltimore, is the following notice under head of "Construction Department":

"Plans and specification have been completed for the grading, sewerage, water supply, brick and steel buildings and all other work in connection with construction of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co.'s car and locomotive shops, previously reported as to be built at a cost of about $500,000. Plant will include roundhouse, oilhouse, storehouse, machine and erecting shop, blacksmith shop, coach shop, paint shop, planing mill, foundry, pattern storehouse, dry-kiln and frame freight-car repair shed. Proposals are invited until January 29th to cover the plant completed, except machinery and mechanical equipment. A $2,000 deposit will be required with each proposal. Plans can be seen at office of R. E. Smith, general superintendent motive power, Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co., Wilmington, N. C."

BUILDING PERMIT RECORD.

Two Dwellings and Removal of Third Were Allowed Yesterday.

The following permits were issued yesterday from the office of City Building Inspector H. E. Bonitz, in the I. O. O. F. building:

W. M. Cumming, two-story tin-roof, six-room dwelling, to cost $850, on Fourth, between Nun and Church streets, Silvia & Skipper contractors.

W. M. Cumming, to remove four-room dwelling from Ann, between Sixth and Seventh streets, to Eighth, between Wooster and Dawson, Vrans Swann, contractor.

Isham Thompson, to build one-story, three-room dwelling on Eleventh, between Castle and Queen streets, costing $400, Tom Carroll contractor.

R. W. Gibson, two-story, brick five-room dwelling to cost $500, in Cottage Lane, between Third and Fourth streets.

Second Advent Church.

The annual conference of the Second Advent Church was held last night. The annual election of officers took place and other important matters were discussed, one of which was a proposition to erect a handsome new house of worship. A special committee will have the matter in charge and in a short time it is expected that the congregation will have one of the prettiest and most commodious churches in the city.

Cargo for Nassau.

The British schooner Mabel Darling cleared yesterday for Nassau, having completed discharging cargo of fruit for Messrs. J. A. Springer & Co. The vessel takes back a miscellaneous cargo of shingles, grists, cotton seed meal, tar, pitch and moulding, all valued at $810 and consigned by the master.

DIED.

In Philadelphia, Thursday, January 4, 1906, Mrs. REGINA WAXMAN, widow of the late H. H. Waxman. Funeral to-morrow (Sunday) morning upon the arrival of the train on the Atlantic Coast Line (10:10 A. M.), thence to the lodge in Oakdale cemetery. Friends and acquaintances invited. It

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Notice of Stockholders Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of Stockholders of the Southern National Bank, of Wilmington, will be held at twelve o'clock, noon, in the Directors' Room of the Bank, on Tuesday, January 9th, 1906.

C. N. EVANS, Cashier.
This, December 30th, 1905.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

Saturday Morning, Jan. 6.

DISCRIMINATING AGAINST FILIPINOS.

The Boston Transcript hands out this illuminating bit of information:

"In Galesburg, Ill., the barbers have recently met in conclave and decided to refuse to shave any of the fifteen Filipino students in attendance at Knox College of that city. Galesburg and Knox College were founded by anti-slavery Massachusetts people. The college was dedicated to the cause of the brotherhood of man. Under its shadow Lincoln had his great debate with Douglas, and a brass tablet in the walls marks the spot. It is doubtless, because of what the college has always stood for that so large a number of Filipinos selected it in preference to bigger and more widely known institutions. And now come the barbers of the place and seek to affix a social stigma upon these fellow-citizens of ours from the Philippines. How strange that followers of a calling little considered and often derided can have such an influence in deciding a man's social standing. In the West and South it is a common way of indicating doubt as to the possession of undiluted Caucasian blood by saying that a man 'can't get a shave.'

The Transcript goes on to say more, and inquires "Is there no power to restrain the barbers?" Where is the Fifteenth Amendment and the civil rights bill with which Republican administrations were wont to bedevil the South a long time after the Civil War? Do the Filipinos come under that head, as well as the darkey?

It should be stated that those barbers at Galesburg are white men, and while it is up to them to shave the Filipinos or let them alone, their action shows that the race question is not alone confined to the South.

OPPOSITION TO THE PRESIDENT.

During the holiday recess of Congress, ominous rumors were sent out in Washington correspondence that President Roosevelt had no cinch on the Senate and that many of his party leaders would openly oppose some of his policies. The correspondent of the Philadelphia Press, however, sends a dispatch on Wednesday declaring that the President has the real leaders in both houses of Congress with him, and that they will make certain the success of the most important of the Administration policies.

Mark Twain was once informed of a rumor that he was dead, and he dryly replied that the report was greatly exaggerated. So it is claimed about the rumors that some of the Senators would back up against Roosevelt were greatly exaggerated. We had rather expected, however, that there was more truth in the rumors than really appeared, and we are rather inclined to believe it yet. There are signs at any rate that many members of the President's party in Congress, will plainly disavow his policy in the Santo Domingo matter where he practically put into effect a treaty which the Senate refused to ratify.

CHARLOTTE EVENING NEWS.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Charlotte Evening News, has just installed a Cox duplex press, one of those modern newspaper machines that hull out over 5,000 twelve-page papers per hour. The News got the latest improved machine of that make and now has one of the completest newspaper making establishments in North Carolina.

Things have been prosperous with Charlotte's superior evening newspaper and the signs of good business in its advertising columns could not have failed to make a newspaper man envious. In circulation the paper steadily grew up to the demand for a fast printing press, and upon it all the publishers have the Star's hearty congratulations.

Mr. W. C. Dowd, president and manager of the company, has builded thoroughly and strongly. The standard of his paper has been high, its tone unexceptionable, and its splendid patronage shows how fully the public appreciates a good thing.

Things must be mighty shaky in financial circles when a banker can make a little talk and cause the price of stocks to fall millions in a few minutes. The whole system is frenzied.

CURRENT COMMENT

—It is hard to help noticing that Mayor McClellan did not "defy" Boss Murphy till he had a cinch on the mayor's job.—Chicago News.

—The country has made a mistake in sending so many canal-diggers to Congress when their services are so needed with shovels down in Panama.—Knoxville Journal-Tribune.

—It is to be hoped that Mr. Cleveland will not be forced to read the bitter arraignment of his political life which appeared the other day in the Fayetteville Observer.—Raleigh Times.

—The crater of Mauna Loa, in the Sandwich Islands, the largest volcano in the world, is twenty miles in diameter. Sometimes the stream of lava issuing from it is fifty miles long.—Philadelphia Press.

—The Southern keeps banging away on its double tracking and in a few more months will be able to use the line between Greensboro and Charlotte, quite the most congested part of the road in this section—Greensboro Record.

—There is no reason in the world why the tobacco farmers should not profit by the experience of the cotton growers. If there is a way by which they could get more for their tobacco they are foolish not to adopt it.—Durham Herald.

—If the document prepared for submission to the American administration may be taken as characteristic of the American settlers in the Isle of Pines, it would be in order for all good people to congratulate Cuba if she got rid of them by ceding the island to the United States or to any other power that would take it and the people on it off her hands. The intemperate statements and the insulting tone of the communication are extremely offensive.—New York Sun.

—The investigation which started in New York might with all propriety spread to other States, to North Carolina, for that matter. It would do no harm to ascertain if there are special policies and special privileges for men high in power. It is but right to know if the square deal extends to all, and it is proper to include all companies in the investigation, whether they are in the home or foreign class. North Carolina owes it to itself to prove that its insurance record is clean.—Raleigh Times.

—This paper stated some days ago, giving figures, that North Carolina now leads every State in the manufacture of tobacco. It also leads in the number of new cotton mills. In 1905 there were 65 new cotton mills started, 44 being started in the last six months, located as follows: In North Carolina, 16; in South Carolina, and Georgia, each 4, and in Texas, 1—total in the South in the second half of the year, 25. No new mill was projected in Virginia, Florida, Alabama, Tennessee, Louisiana, or Arkansas, while seven new cotton mills were begun in Massachusetts, and two each in Connecticut, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York and Rhode Island—Raleigh News and Observer.

TWINKLINGS

—Mistress—"Didn't the ladies who called leave cards? Bridget—They wanted to, ma'am, but I towld thim ye had plinty av yer own, and better ones, too.—Life.

—"So you are thinking about getting married? That's right." "Then you approve of marrying?" "Well, I approve of thinking about it first."—Philadelphia Ledger.

—"De way some folks celebrate New Year's day," said Uncle Eben, "makes de second of January de day when good resolutions is mos' appropriate."—Washington Star.

—Mr. Boreum—"I'm afraid I have made my first call too long." Miss Fert (glancing at the clock)—"Oh, no; it wasn't really so long; it only seemed to be."—Philadelphia Record.

—"If your wife treats you so shamefully," said Henpeck's friend, "why don't you get a divorce from her?" "I did want to," replied Henpeck, "but she said 'no,' and, of course, that settled it."—Philadelphia Ledger.

—Not So Resourceful as Most Girls. —Nell—"Some of our proverbs are so ridiculous. For instance, 'Where ignorance is bliss—'" Belle—"What's the matter now?" Nell—"Why, you know, Charlie gave me my engagement ring last week, and I simply can't find out how much it cost him."—Philadelphia Ledger.

—A Consistent Medicaut.—"Are you here again?" said the kind-hearted woman. "Yes, lady," answered Meandering Mike, "I have returned." "Didn't I give you all the turkey and mincepie you wanted yesterday?" "You did. An' I'm back with one more request. Have you got any dyspepsia medicine you could spare?"—Exchange.

—At a fancy dress ball the mistress of the house stationed a servant at the door to announce the guests by their costumes. At last arrived two ladies in plain walking costume, who had only come to glance at the gay and dazzling scene. "What costume shall I announce, ladies?" asked the servant, courteously. "Oh, none. We haven't anything on at all," was the response. "Two ladies without anything on at all!" shouted the faithful domestic.—Chicago Record-Herald.

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The chances for living a full century are excellent in the case of Mrs. Jennie Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., now 70 years old. She writes: "Electric Bitters cured me of Chronic Dyspeppsia of 20 years standing, and made me feel as well and strong as a young girl." Electric Bitters cure Stomach and Liver diseases, Blood disorders, General Debility and bodily weakness. Sold on a guarantee at all druggists. Price only 50c. **

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Jan. 5, 1906.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Firm, $3.50 bid.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrels of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.80 per barrel for hard, $4.50 per barrel for dip and $4.50 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm, 49 1-2; rosin, firm at $2.45; tar firm, at $1.60; crude turpentine, firm at $2.30 and $3.70.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	8
Rosin	341
Tar	26
Crude	86

Same day last year—16 casks spirits turpentine, 64 barrels rosin, 52 barrels tar, 47 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Steady, 11 1-4 cents.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts, 158 bales; same day last year, 138 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, (new) Prime, 80c.; extra prime 85c.; fancy 90c., per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 55c.; extra prime, 60c.; fancy, 65c.; Spanish (new), 65@70c.

CORN—Firm; 70@75c. per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 15 to 16c. per pound; shoulders, 11 to 12; sides dull, 11 to 12.

EGGS—Firm, 23 to 24 per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull, Springs, 15c. to 25c.; Grown, 30 to 35.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 50c @55c. per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2c., pound.

TURKEYS—Firm, 15c for live; dressed, 18 to 20c.

HIDES—Dry salted, 12c.; green, 8c. per pound.

PORK—Firm, 9 to 10; hams, 11 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

New York, Jan. 5.—The cotton market today acted nervous and sensitive with fluctuations irregular and trading maderately active but largely local and preparatory to the ginners' report expected from Washington on next Monday or Tuesday. The market closed steady at a decline of 3 to 11 points. Sales were estimated at 350,000 bales. The opening was steady at a decline of 2 to 5 points on the old months but unchanged on later positions, which was better than due on the cables. Private advices from Liverpool reported a continued good trade demand and with wires from the South claiming further strength among spoth olders, and the likelihood of a bullish report from the National Ginners' Association later in the day, there was little aggressive pressure against the market and prices soon rallied to a couple of points above the closing figures of yesterday on active months, on covering of shorts and scattering bull support. In the early afternoon a message from New Orleans was circulated purporting to give the report of the National Ginners' Association which was said to indicate a report of 9,731,000 bales ginned to January 1, by the census bureau, and stating that 97.3 per cent. of the crop had been ginned. While this would indicate a yield of only about 10,000,000 bales, the amount ginned was larger than expected and the report was followed by active bear pressure under which prices broke about 11 to 13 points. The market was very nervous toward the close but recovered 3 or 4 points of the less on some months. Later wires from the South stated that the National Ginners' Association had not yet issued its report.

Receipts at the ports today were 31,256 bales, against 49,530 last week and 29,576 last year. For the week (estimated) 152,000 bales, against 215,780 last week and 200,000 bales last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 7,026 bales, against 5,781 last year, and at Houston 4,059 bales, against 6,037 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet 10 points lower; middling uplands, 11.85; middling gulf, 12.10; sales 1,300 bales.

Futures opened steady. January, 11.36; February, 11.49 bid; March, 11.65; May, 11.80; July, 11.90; August, 11.90 bid; September, 11.00; October, 10.95.

Futures cuosed steady: January, 11.35; February, 11.46; March, 11.62; April, 11.69; May, 11.74; June, 11.76; July, 11.81; August, 11.64; September, 11.00; October, 10.92.

Port Movement.

Galveston—Easy, 11 11-16c.; net receipts, 7,678 bales.

New Orleans—Quiet, 11 11-16c.; net receipts, 7,026 bales.

Mobile—Easy, 11 1-2c.; net receipts, 267 bales.

Savannah—Steady, 11 5-16c.; net receipts, 2,365 bales.

Charleston—Firm, 11 1-4c.; net receipts, 497 bales.

Wilmington—Steady, 11 1-4c.; net receipts, 158 bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 11 5-8c.; net receipts, 1,316 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 3-4c.; net receipts, 1,582 bales.

New York—Quiet, 11.85; net receipts, 58 bales.

Boston—Quiet, 11.85; net receipts, 654 bales.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 12.10; net receipts, 25 bales.

Brunswick—Net receipts, 6,780 bales.

Port Townsend—Net receipts, 2,262 bales.

Newport News—Net receipts, 450 bales.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 100 bales.

Miscellaneous — Net receipts, 38 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 31,256 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 42,149 bales; Continent, 2,312 bales; Japany, 2,626 bales; Stock, 1,085,026 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 145,295 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 106,493 bales; France, 12,000 bales; Continent, 55,868 bales; Japan, 2,584 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 5,198,737 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 1,670,921 bales; France, 481,147 bales; Continent, 1,350,128 bales; Japan, 34,497 bales; Mexico, 964 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Easy, 11 11-16c.; net receipts, 4,509 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 11 11-16c.; net receipts, 663 bales.

Memphis—Quiet, 11 5-8c.; net receipts, 2,472 bales.

St. Louis—Firm, 11 5-8c.; net receipts, 1,400 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 532 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 11 3-4c.; net receipts, 146 bales.

Cotton Receipts.

New York, Jan. 5, 1906.

The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston, 1,748,827; New Orleans, 893,405; Mobile, 171,331; Savannah, 1,091,035; Charleston, 142,944; Wilmington, 271,568; Norfolk, 474,622; Baltimore, 37,443; New York, 1,843; Boston, 42,781; Newport News, 8,458; Philadelphia, 3,111; San Francisco, 15,890; Brunswick, 115,866; Port Townsend, 16,286 bales; Pensacola, 71,923; Portland, Ore., 576; Port Arthur & Sabine Pass., 63,997; Jacksonville, 10,513; Eagle Pass, Texas, 25,490; El Paso, Texas, 150; Laredo, Texas, 40,049; minor ports, 9,070. Total, 5,198,737 bales.

Comparative Cotton Statement.

New York, Jan. 5, 1906.

For the week ending, Friday, Jan. 5th:

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week, 145,292; net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year, 192,462. Total receipts since September 1st., 5,198,737; total receipts to same date last year, 6,089,716. Exports for the week, 176,945; exports for same week last year, 249,607. Exports since September 1st., 3,537,707; total exports same date last year, 4,454,173. Stock at all U. S. ports, 1,085,026; stock at all U. S. ports same time last year, 976,487. Stock at all interior towns, 599,713; stock at all interior towns same time last year, 730,367. Stock at Liverpool this time last year, 876,000. Stock of Am. afloat for Great Britain same time last year, 286,000 bales.

Weekly Movement.

New York, Jan. 5, 1906.

The following statistics on the movement of cotton for the week ending, Friday, December 5, 1906, were compiled by the New York Cotton Exchange:

	This Year.	Last Year.
Port receipts	149,792	200,000
Overland to Mills and Canada	24,379	44,545
Southern mill takings (extimated)	63,000	68,000
Last of Stock at Interior Towns	21,858	17,511
Brought into sight for the week	215,513	295,034
Total Crop Movement.		
Port receipts	5,202,960	6,102,907
Overland to Mills and Canada	410,216	544,670
Southern mill takings (estimated)	974,000	969,000
Stock at Interior Towns in excess of September 1st	556,619	633,119
Brought into sight thus far for season	7,143,795	8,249,696

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, Jan. 5.—Cotton in fair demand; prices two points higher; American middling fair, 6.75d.; good middling, 6.41d.; middling, 6.23d.; low middling, 6.07d.; good ordinary, 5.89d; ordinary, 5.73d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 9,300 American. Receipts 55,000 bales, including 37,900 American. Futures opened easier and closed barely steady; American middling G. O. C: January, 6.10d.; January and February, 6.10d.; February and March, 6.13d.; March and April, 6.17d.; April and May, 6.20d.; May and June, 6.22d; June and July, 6.24d.; July and August, 6.25d.; August and September, 6.17d.; September and October, 5.92d.; October and November, 5.85d.; November and December, 5.82d.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL

New York, Jan. 5.—Money on call much easier, 2@9 per cent.; ruling rate, 6 1-2@7; closing bid 1; offered at 3. Time loans firm; sixty days, 7 per cent; including commission; ninety days, 6 and 7, including commission on latter rate; six months, 5 1-2@6. Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers bills at 485.65@485.70 for demand and at 482.30@482.35 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 483@483 1-2 and 486 1-2@487. Commercial bills, 482. Bar silver, 64 3-8. Mexican dollars, 49 1-2.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding, 2s reg	102 7-8
U. S. refunding, 2s cou	102 7-8
U. S. 3s reg	102 1-4
U. S. 3s. cou	103
U. S. old, 4s reg	103
U. S. old, 4s. cou	103
U. S. New 4s reg	130 1-4
U. S. New 4s cou.	130 1-2
American Tobacco, 4s cert.	80 5-8
American Tobacco, 5s cert.	115
Atlantic Coast Line, 5s	101 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio	103 3-8
L. & N. Unified, 4s ex. in	103 1-2
Seaboard Air Line	89 1-2
Southern Railway, 5s	118 3-8
U. S. Steel, 2d 5s	96 5-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	108 7-8
American Sugar Refining	153 3-4
American Tobacco, pfd., cert	105 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	158
Baltimore & Ohio	113 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	98 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	55 5-8
Louisville & Nashville	152 1-4
Manhattan L.	161 1-2
New York Central	152 1-8
Norfolk & Western	85 7-8
Norfolk & Western, pfd	94
People's Gas	101 1-4
Reading	143 5-8
Reading, 1st pfd	93 1-2
Rading, 2nd pfd	96 1-2
Southern Pacific	66 1-4
Southern Pacific, pfd	118
Southern Railway	36 3-4
Southern Railway, pfd	100 1-2
Tenn., Coal & Iron	132
U. S. Steel	43
U. S. Steel, pfd	106 3-8
Va.-Car. Chemical	53 5-8
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	114
S. A. L., com., ask'd	35 1-2
S. A. L., pfd., as'd	56
Standard Oil	695
Western Union	93 3-8

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Liquidation by a number of prominent bulls caused a sharp break today in the local wheat market. At the close wheat for May delivery was off 1-2. Corn was up 1-8. Oats were unchanged and provisions were unchanged to 5 cents higher.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat, No. 2.—				
May	88⅞	89⅛	88	88¼
July	84⅞	84⅞	84⅛	84⅜
Corn, No. 2.—				
Jan.	40⅞	41¼	40⅛	41¼
May	44⅜	45	44⅜	45
July	45⅛	45⅜	45	45⅜
Oats, No. 2.—				
Jan.	31	31¼	31	31⅛
May	32½	32⅝	32¼	32½
July	30⅝	31	30⅝	30⅞
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
Jan.	13.65	13.67½	13.65	13.65
May	14.00	14.05	13.92½	13.95
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
Jan.	7.47½	7.57½	7.47½	7.55
May	7.62½	7.65	7.60	7.65
July	7.72½	7.75	7.70	7.72½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
Jan.	7.40	7.40	7.35	7.40
May	7.55	7.55	7.50	7.55
July	7.65	7.67½	7.62½	7.67½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 84@86 1-2; No. 3 spring wheat, 80@85 1-2; No. 2 red, 88 1-2@90; No. 2 corn, 42@42 1-4; No. 2 yellow, 42 1-4@42 1-2; No. 2 oats, 32@32 1-4; No. 2 white, 32 3-4; No. 3 white, 31@32 1-2; No. 2 rye, 66; Mess pork, per bbl., 13.65@13.70; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.55 Short ribs sides (loose), 7.25@7.40; Short clear sides (boxed), 7.60@7.62; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.29.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

New York, Jan. 5.—Flour dull.

CORN MEAL—Easy.

WHEAT—Easy; No. 2 red, 91 1-4 elevator; options 3-8c net lower. May, 92 1-2; July, 89 3-8.

CORN—Steady; No. 2 old, 57 1-2 elevator. Options 3-8c net higher. January, 53 1-8; July, 50 7-8; May, 50 3-4.

OATS—Steady; mixed, 36 12@37.

BEEF—Steady.

CUT MEATS—Steady.

LARD—Firm; western steamed, 7.85 @7.95; refined firm; continent, 8.20; compound, 5 7-8@6.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Steady.

RYE—Quiet.

MOLASSES—Firm.

COFFEE—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice, 8 1-16; mild firm. Futures steady at a net decline of 5@10 points.

SUGAR—Raw strong; fair refining, 3 3-16@3 1-4; Centrifugal, 3 1-16@3 3-4; molasses ugar, 2 15-16@3. Refined quiet.

BUTTER—firm; renovated, common to extra, 15 1-2@21.

CHEESE—Strong, unchanged.

EGGS—Strong, unchanged.

PEANUTS—Easy, unchanged.

POTATOES—Firmer; State and western per bag, 1.75@2.12; foreign, 1.60@2.10; sweets irregular; per barrel, 1.50@3.50.

CABBAGES—Unchanged.

FREIGHTS—Unchanged.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor; Sabbath Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sabbath School at 3:30 P. M.; W. C. E. Society at 7 P. M.; Prayer Meeting and Lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited; seats free.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seamen's Bethel to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Chaplain. Seamen and rivermen are especially invited. All are welcome.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets: Service at 11 o'clock to-morrow (Sunday) and at 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 4 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor. Strangers welcome; seats free.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, corner of Fourth and Orange streets, Rev. A. W. Seabrease, rector: Morning prayer and sermon at 11 A. M.; Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. Seats free; strangers are codially invited.

Fist Baptist church, Rev. Fred. D. Hale, D. D., pastor. Preaching tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. Prayer and Praise Worship Wednesday, 7:30 P. M. B. Y. P. U. Friday, 7:30 P. M. Public cordially invited to all services.

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I am only a farmer, and have not much time to read and write is the reason I do not say more.

C. L. MORRISON.

Jonesville, N. C., Dec. 13, 1904.

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J. W. YATES, Cashier.

MARINE

ARRIVED

Str. Johnson, Black, Clear Run, J. A. Munn.

Str. Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

CLEARED.

Br. schr. Mabel Darling, Saunders, Nassau, P. R.; J. A. Springer & Co.

Str. Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

Exports Coastwise.

New York—Schr. F. and T. Lupton, 675,000 feet lumber; cargo by Cape Fear Lumber Co.; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

Exports Foreign.

Nassau—Br. schr. Mabel Darling, 8,800 shingles, 100 bags grists, 23 bags cotton seed meal, 60 barrels tar, 40 barrels pitch, 1,500 feet moulding, valued at $810; cargo by master; vessel by J. A. Springer & Co.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Duart (Br) 2,008 tons, Dalziel, Heide & Co.

Ribera (Br), 2,252 tons, Hurford, Heide & Co.

Brighton (Br.) 2,273 tons, Kragh, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Kirkstall (Br.), 1,162 tons, Hinde, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Ships.

Fitzjames (Br.), 1,831 tons, Fearon, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Carrie A. Bucknam, 235 tons, Torrey C. D. Maffitt.

Alice J. Crabtree, 325 tons, Crabtree C. D. Maffitt.

Maggie E. Hart, 591 tons, Farrow, C. D. Maffitt.

Harold J. McCarthy (Am.), Wright, 297 tons, C. D. Maffitt.

J. Howell Leeds (Am.), Roope, 393 tons, C. D. Maffitt.

Gen. Adelbert Ames, 452 tons, Dodge, C. D. Maffitt.

Waccamaw, 408 tons, Demings, C. D. Maffitt.

Laura M. Lunt, 507 tons, Hunter, C. D. Maffitt.

Ralph M. Hayward, 529 tons, Green, C. D. Maffitt.

F. W. Pickles (Br.) 386 tons, Patterson, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 5, 1906.

C. C. Railroad—25 bales cotton; 24 barrels tar; 37 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—26 bales cotton; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—86 bales cotton; 26 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—5 bales cotton; 2 barrels rosin; 21 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—16 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine.

Str. Alice—6 casks spirits turpentine; 39 barrels rosin.

Str. Johnson—300 barrels rosin; 2 barrels tar.

Total—158 bales cotton; 8 casks spirits turpentine; 341 barrels rosin; 26 barrels tar; 86 barrels crude turpentine.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Jan. 5.—In the dry goods market today no further activity was reported at first hands, but the market was in very firm condition.

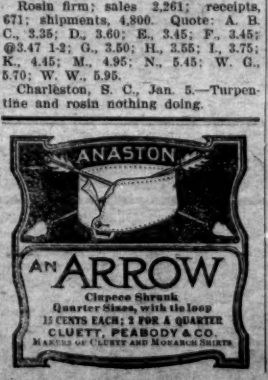
NAVAL STORES.

New York, Jan. 5.—Turpentine dull at 68 to 68 1-2; rosin quiet.

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 5.—Turpentine nothing doing; last sale on Jan. 3rd. at 65; receipts 637.

Rosin firm; sales 2,261; receipts, 671; shipments, 4,800. Quote: A. B. C., 3.35; D., 3.60; E., 3.45; F., 3.45; @3.47 1-2; G., 3.50; H., 3.55; I., 3.75; K., 4.45; M., 4.95; N., 5.45; W. G., 5.70; W. W., 5.95.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 5.—Turpentine and rosin nothing doing.



STAR BUSINESS LOCALS!

The Star will send, without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messengers to your place of business or residence for advertisements for our Business Locals department. 'Phone the Star Office, No. 51.

Rates—Twenty-five cents for each insertion of twenty-five words, or less. Additional words, more than twenty-five, one cent per word. Positively, cash in advance.

The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co.; or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes and small packages. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for advertisements always call the Star Office, 'Phone 51.

STAR BRANCHES.

For the benefit of those who may find it more convenient, advertisements may be left at the following Branch Offices, where they will receive as prompt and careful attention as if left at the Star Office, and with no additional cost to the advertiser.

JAS. H. HALL'S DRUG STORE—Corner 5th and Castle streets. Phone 192.

BULLUCK'S DRUG STORE—313 North Front street. Phone 150.

W. C. MUNDS' DRUG STORE—Corner 7th and Orange streets. Phone 554.

L. B. SASSER'S DRUG STORE—Corner 9th and Market streets. Phone 125.

WM. NIESTLIE, DRUGGIST—S. W. Corner 7th and Red Cross streets. Phone 216.

SOUTH-SIDE DRUG COMPANY—Corner Front and Castle street. Phone 278.

BEAUTIFUL BLACKJACK AND OAK just received. People's Wood Yard, No. 115 North Water street. Office with Col. Atkinson, 'phone 543. ja6-3t.

WANTED — THREE REGULAR boarders; also table boarders. 116 Red Cross street. ja6-3t

W. B. CRUMPLER & CO., IS THE place to get your whiskies, wines and beer. No. 111 South Front St., Wilmington, N. C. ja6-1w

FIFTH ANNUAL GRAND MASQUERade and Civic Ball By Merry Companion Social Club on Tuesday night, Jan. 23rd, Germania Hall. Souvenirs and prizes. Tickets $1.00. Committee: Wm. Tienken, C. R. Spooner, D. H. Branch, H. Habenicht, Wm. Hoefner, George Tienken. ja5,7,10,14,17,21,22

FOR RENT — PHOTOGAPH GALlery, No. 114 Market street between Front and Second. Best location in the city. Possession given at once. Apply to R. H. J. Ahrens. de7-tf

XMAS IS STILL AT THE DIXIE, 117 Princess street. da30-tf

SWEET LIPS SHOULD TASTE THE sweet delicacies served at "The Oasis." For instance, Sliced Pineapple, Bananas, and whipped cream, hot chocolate with Whipped Cream, home-made Cakes, Sandwiches with home-made Rolls, Vegetable Soups, Clam Bouillon, tomato Bouillon, Beef Tea, Malt Coffee, the best cereal coffee made. We delight to please the ladies. ja2-tf

NEW SERIES B. & L. STOCK—THE Mechanics' Home Association has a new series B. & L. Stock now open. Call early and avoid the rush. W. M. Cumming, Secretary. ja3-6t

FOR RENT—TWO UNFURNISHED rooms suitable for light house keeping. For particulars call 'phone 1246. de4-3t

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY — NEW buildings projected will require millions of brick. Excellent clay-bed near Wilmington can be bought; fuel abundant; water transportation. Box 564, city. ja3-eod-3t

FRESH ARRIVALS—BANANAS, Apples, Onions, Oranges, Cabbage, and Irish Potatoes. Two cars just arrived. A. S. Winstead. oc22-tf

JUST RECEIVED FRESH LOT FINE Preserves, Candies and Fruits, Fine Cakes and Crackers, including Fruit and Pound Cake, in fact, any thing you may want to make a Christmas dinner. Give us your orders. 'Phone 547. Store 405 North Fourth street. S. F. Craig. de21-tf

FLORIDA ORANGES — WE HAVE 'Em—Large lot Russetts and Brights, 96s, 126s, 150s, 176s, 200s, 276s and 350s to box. Choice fruit. Let us have your orders. Wm. E. Worth & Co. 'Phone 94. de21-tf

CAPE FEAR COAL AND WOOD CO.—We are now in position to fill orders for all kinds of cut wood. With prompt delivery, polite service, and standard measurement, we solicit your patronage. 'Phone 197. no26-tf

FOR SALE—TWO NEW 2-STORY Houses—6 rooms each, in good neighborhood, on improved street. Each lot 23x165; for both houses, $3,500. Apply to M. C. Darby & Co., 114 1-2 Princess street. de17-tf

Protect your

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Phone 162...Office No. 109 Princess St.

J. VAN B. METTS.

Dec 5-tf.

Jan. 1st, '06.

We wish to announce to our patrons that our store will be closed January 1st and 2nd, 1906, to take stock. All goods purchased before this date we will sell at 5 per cent. less than regular price. Beltings, Saws, Pulleys, Cant Hooks, Files, Packings, Oils, Waste, Babbitt Metal and all machinery and plumbing supplies.

Yours for Values,

T. D. Love Comp'y

204-206 N. Water St.

Dec. 22-tf.

Seeded Raisins

Currents and Citron,

Fresh Spices.

All the necessaries for fruit cake.

Jones, Springfield and Smithfield Hams.

Crow & Taylor,

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The Publisher's Claims Sustained

UNITED STATES COURT OF CLAIMS

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We are of the opinion that this allegation most clearly and accurately describes the work that has been accomplished and the result that has been reached. The Dictionary, as it now stands, has been thoroughly re-edited in every detail, has been corrected in every part, and is admirably adapted to meet the larger and severer requirements of a generation which demands more of popular philological knowledge than any generation that the world has ever contained.

It is perhaps needless to add that we refer to the dictionary in our judicial work as of the highest authority in accuracy of definition; and that in the future as in the past it will be the source of constant reference.

CHARLES C. NOTT, Chief Justice.
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A Happy New Year

To one and all is our sincere wish.

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Carving Sets and Table Ware.

Baker Hammerless Guns.

Remington Hammerless Guns.

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Air Rifles the best on the market.

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Special Sale on Blankets.

SPECIAL SALE ON BLANKETS.

Having a broken lot of these special numbers, we will close them out at cost, as long as they last.

10-4 All-Wool Scarlet Blankets, was $4.00, now $3.25

10-4 White Blankets, sold for $3.00, now $2.50

11-4 White Blankets, sold for $5.00, now $3.75

11-4 White Blankets, sold for $4.00, now $3.00

Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs, all pure linen, worth $1.50 doz., to go at $1.00

Children's All-Linen Handkerchiefs, per doz. 60c

Agent for the C. B. and Warner's Rust-Proof Corsets. Every Pair Warranted.

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FARM IMPLEMENTS.

AVERYS' Subsoil Plows. " Gee-Whiz Cultivators.
" New Ground Plows. " Steel Single Trees.
" Disc Harrow Plows. SYRACUSE Chilled Plows.
" Chilled Plows. " Middle Bursters.
" Cultivators. " Dixie Plows, Etc., Etc.

Wholesale and Retail at prices that are right.

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Happy New Year to All | The C. W. Polvogt Co., "The Store Thats Always Busy." | Millinery Sale This Week

TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS:

Again we welcome the opportunity the Season affords, to thank you for your generous favors in the past, and to extend you hearty greetings and most cordial good wishes for a

Happy and Prosperous New Year.

This Fall season has been the best in our History; it, however, finds us with a large assortment of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, Bonnets and Fancy Feathers—All these we offer this week

AT HALF PRICE.

It will not be necessary to add another word to that statement—Our $20 Hats, $10; $15 Hats for $7.50; $10 Hats for $5; $8 Hats for $4; $5 Hats for $2.50, and so on down the entire list—Choose early and get a pick of the stock. This is the biggest bargain offered in our Millinery Department for a long time.

Trading Stamps given with every Cash Sale.

The C. W. Polvogt Co.,

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—The Haywood County Stockraisers' Association was chartered on Tauraday by the Secretary of State. The capital stock is $25,000 and the association is authorized to raise stock and cattle and hold fairs at Waynesville.

—At their meeting a few days ago the County Commissioners, of Lenoir county, tied on the question of granting license to the LaGrange saloon keepers for the year, and the question was decided in favor of license by the chairman.

—The internal revenue collections for the month of December at Raleigh were as follows: Lists, $1,493.91; spirit stamps, $12,295.48; cigar stamps, $14,452.79; tobacco stamps, $140,046.88; special tax stamps, $467.17; documentary stamps, $1.00; total, $169,757.21.

—Pomp Newborn, colored, shot and killed his brother, Rasberry, on Wednesday afternoon about six miles from Kinston. It was another case of "didn't know it was loaded," and was accidental. The load of buck shot from a breech loader entered the negro's head from behind.

—Raleigh News and Observer: Yesterday the County Board of Education finished the apportionment of the county school funds. Raleigh, with a census of 6,324 children, gets $19,067.64; the rural schools, with a total school population of 12,732, receive $31,830.00.

—A sad accident occurred at Dabney, seven miles from Oxford, which resulted in the death of Mr. Joseph Wilson, a prominent farmer of Granville. He attempted to step from a moving train and was thrown to the ground with such terrible force as to break his back and one leg. He lingered in great suffering two days when death supervened.

—The contract for the new passenger depot at Kinston has been let to Colvin & Davis, at Asheville. The new depot is to be built according to the plans which have been printed, and will be equipped with water works and will have other modern conveniences. According to the plans and specifications Kinston will have a passenger depot, of which she will be proud, and one which will be in keeping with the progress and development of that thriving little city.

—A newbern dispatch on Thursday says: Serious trouble has overtaken one of the members of the color Episcopal church of this city. I. H. Smith, a member of the church, as a delegate has the power to raise funds for the church, which he did. From information received, it appears that Isaac did not turn over all he colected. An investigation was instituted by the people by authority of the church, which called Bishop Robert Strange, of Wilmington, bishop of this diocese, to hear the cause. After a due hearing Bishop Strange publicly excommunicated him from the church for stealing money which belongs to the church.

—Mr. John Atwell, at one time a well to do citizen of Mooresville, Mecklenburg county, cut his throat with a razor at his home in that town Tuesday morning, and died that afternoon. Mr. Atwell, who was about fifty years old, had shown evidence of despondency for a week or more. He arose early that morning and Mrs. Atwell saw him standing in front of a bureau, looking at himself in the mirror. His actions caused her to question him as to what he meant. Like a madman the husband rushed toward his wife with a drawn razor. She ran out of the room; and turning around to the looking-glass, Atwell drew the razor across his throat.

—Greensboro special, Jan. 4th: There was the annual Federal court gathering of Republican leaders here yesterday, and a party conference here last night. Chief among the clansmen present was Hon. Marion Butler. Other leaders were W. S. O'B. Robinson, of Goldsboro; Marshall Henry Dockery and Claudius Dockery, of Raleigh; Linny, Meekins, Rollins, Blackburn, Duncan and a host of smaller fry. It is presumed that Blackburn, Rollins and Butler had a peace conference yesterday afternoon and important results are predicted. Blackburn and Butler returned to Washington on the same train early this morning, but the rumor that they slept together in the same berth, is not believed by the friends of either here.

Beats the Music Cure.

"To keep the body in tune," writes Mrs. Mary Brown, 20 Lafayette Pdace, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. "I take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are the most reliable and pleasant laxative I have found." Best for the Stomach, Liver and Bowels. Guaranteed by all druggists. 25c. **

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is one of the handsomest and most valuable publications of the kind issued. The useful and practical hints contained in the annual issues of Wood's Seed Book make it a most valuable help to all Farmers and Gardeners and it has long been recognized as an up-to-date authority on all

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Truckers requiring large quantities of Seed Potatoes, Early Peas, Snap Beans or other Vegetable Seeds, are requested to write for special prices.

Special Reduced Rates Via Seaboard.

New Orleans, La.: American Association for advancement of science, December 29th to January 4th. Rate, one fare plus 25 cents for round trip, tickets sold December 27th-28th and 29th, final limit January 6th.

Pensacola, Fla., New Orleans, La., Mobile, Ala.: Account Mardi Gras, February 22nd-27th, one fare plus 25 cents roun trip, tickets sold February 21st-26th inclusive, final limit March 3rd. Tickets can be extended until March 17th.

Louisville, Ky.: Account Department of Superintendence National Educational Association, February 27th-March 1st, one fare plus 25 cents round trip, tickets sold February 24th-25th-26th, final limit March 4th.

Niagara Falls, N. Y.: Account National Association of Retail Grocers, January 23rd-25th, one and one-third fair plus 25 cents on Certificate Plan Basis.

New Orleans, La.: Account of Convention Southern Cotton Association, January 11th-13th, 1906. Rates, one fare plus 25 cents round trip, tickets sold January 9th and 10th, and for trains scheduled to arrive in New Orleans before noon of January 11th, final limit January 15th, 1906.

Raleigh, N. C.: North Carolina Division of Southern Cotton Association, January 3rd-4th, tickets sold on Certificate Plan Basis, one and one-third fares plus 25 cents for round trip.

Raleigh, N. C.: Grand Lodge of Masons, Raleigh, N. C., January 9th-12th inclusive, rate authorized on Certificate Plan Basis. Certificates will be honored by ticket agent at Raleigh on or before January 19th.

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ACT QUICKLY.

Delay Has Been Dangerous in Wilmington.

Do the right thing at the right time.
Act quickly in times of danger.
Backache is kidney danger.
Doan's Kidney Pills act quickly.
Cure all distressing, dangerous kidney ills.

Plenty of evidence to prove this.

R. A. Biddle, clerk at 19 Market street, residing at 806 Castle street, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills myself for kidney trouble and my wife who also suffered from backache also used them. I never knew anything to act so quickly. I have suffered quite a long time with my back and kidneys. The kidney secretions were very dark and full of sediment. My wife also complained of her back, and when we read of Doan's Kidney Pills in our newspapers I went to R. R. Bellamy's drug store and got a box. We used them with the best results. In my case the kidney secretions cleared up and the pains left my back. We have neither of us complained since taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and it is with pleasure that I recommend them at every opportunity."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

SPECIAL REDUCED RATES VIA THE SEABOARD.

The Seaboard begs to announce that on account of the occasions mentioned below the rates and conditions named will apply.

MEXICO CITY, MEXICO: Golf Tournament, January 16th, and February 13th, 1906. Rate of one first-class fare plus 25c will apply, tickets sold January 1st-12th, continuous passage in each direction with final limit February 28th, 1906.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN: Southern Baptist Convention and Auxillary Societies, May 10th-15th, 1906. Rate, one first-class fare plus 25c. for the round trip(minimum rate) 50 cents, tickets sold May 8th, 9th and 10th, final limit ten days in addition to date of sale. Tickets may be extended.

For further information as to rates from any point or schedules apply to your nearest Agent or address the undersigned. C. H. GATTIS,
Travelling Passenger Agent,
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TO KILL THE DANDRUFF GERM.

Is the Only Possible Way of Having An Effective Cure.

If you see a woman or a man with luxuriant glossy hair, you may be sure neither has dandruff to amount to anything. In nearly every case where women and men have thin brittle hair, they owe it to dandruff. There are hundreds of preparations that "claim" to cure dandruff, but not one but Newbro's Herpicide tells you that dandruff is the result of a germ burrowing into the scalp, and that permanent cure of dandruff and its consequent failing and baldness, can only be had by killing the germ; and there is no other preparation that will destroy that germ but Newbro's Herpicide. "Destroy the cause, and you remove the effect." Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit Mich.

HARDIN'S PHARMACY, Special Agent.

A Modern Miracle.

"Truly miraculous seemed the recovery of Mrs. Mollie Holt, of this place," writes J. O. R. Hooper, Woodford, Tenn., "she was so wasted by coughing up puss from her lungs. Doctors declared her end so near that her family had watched by her bed-side forty-eight hours; when, at my urgent request Dr. King's New Discovery was given her, with the astonishing result that improvement began, and continued until she finally completely recovered, and is a healthy woman to-day." Guaranted cure for coughs and colds. 50c and $1.00 at all druggists. Trial bottles free. **

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SANTAL-MIDY

These tiny CAPSULES are superior to Balsam of Copaiba, Cubebs or Injections and CURE IN 48 HOURS the same diseases without inconvenience.

MIDY

Sold by all druggists.

Happy New Year To All,

Is the Best Wish of

Geo. O. Gaylord

Also his Big Department Store, with all of its helpers.

The year of 1905 is gone and we wish to thank our many customers for their most liberal and pleasant patronage in the past. Our sales have been better this year than ever before. We have tried harder and accomplished more. With renewed energy, more capital and better expenienced help we enter the year of 1906 with feeling that we should do better than we have in the past. To do this, we want to extend our good wishes to our customers by giving them the benefit of the goods that we have already bought at the very lowest prices that we have ever owned them at.

We anticipated the rise in the cotton market, and we bought all our goods for the Spring of 1906 in the Fall and Summer of 1905. Those goods are beginning to come in now in large quantities, and we will have on sale in a few days the grandest display of Spring goods that have been shown by us in some time.

We want to say to the wholesale trade that we are now ready to fill orders for Spring Millinery. Our Trimmed Hat samples are now ready, and we will be glad to send samples to merchants from which to buy goods for the Spring in this line, for their Hat Departments.

We have Ladies' and Children's Trimmed Hats from $4.50, $5.00, $9.00, $10.50, $12.00, $15.00, $18.00, $21.00, $24.00, and on up to $48.00 per dozen.

Our Hats are all trimmed by our own milliners, packed in splendid condition. Every Hat above $9.00 per dozen, is packed in box to itself, with no extra charge and every Hat is trimmed in a pretty, stylish way and every Hat will be clean new goods. No old stock to work off. New Hats, New Flowers, New Ribbons, and trimmed by experience milliners, and we feel sure that everyone will be good sellers. We do not care to fill orders for less than a dozen, as a less quantity would not pay for the shipment.

We are also prepared to fill all orders for Flowers, Ribbons, Chiffons, Laces and Untrimmed Hats of a hundred different styles at an instant's notice.

We buy our Flowers direct from the manufacturer, pay the cash for them, and can sell them as cheap as any one can sell them, and even cheaper than some. We fell that our experience with our capital to back it, places us in a position to sell the wholesale Millinery as cheap as any jobber in the country. I am nearer to you, and I can supply your wants quicker and cheaper, and perhaps better than the jobber you have been dealing with can.

I thank our customers of the past for their patronage and wish to add many new ones to our list this season.

Our men will be out on the road a few days after the 1st of January, and will be pleased to call on you and show you our line in due time for the Spring trade.

Thanking you again for your liberal patronage of 1905, and asking you to join our forces of retail buyers as well remembering that we give punch cards to all purchasers and give presents free, and that we give a liberal discount to the wholesale buyer.

We trust that we can depend upon our many customers for a more liberal patronage for the year 1906 than ever.

Remember the place, Nos. 206-208 and 210, Three Stores Combined.

Geo. O. Gaylord's

Three Stores Combined.

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Suits and Raincoats

It's time for both, and of course you want the best, and we want you to have the best, hence our reasons for calling your attention to our mammoth stock.

Our line of Clothing was never more complete than the line we are now handling. We can fit you, this we guarantee, and the closest observer can't tell a Solky Suit from the highest price tailored Clothing.

Examine our line of Cravenettes. We don't mean to boast when we say we have the best line of rain coats ever placed on the Wilmington market. We just want to tell you a fact about our rain coats.

The goods are here and prices right.

J. M. SOLKY & CO.,

MASONIC TEMPLE BUILDING. WILMINGTON, N. C.

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Anthracite Coal Comparison

Analysis of best Pennsylvania Anthracite made by Geological Survey.

Water	2.270
Volatile Matter	8.830
Fixed Carbon	78.831
Sulphur	.676
Ash	9.393
	100.000

Analysis of best Virginia Anthracite, which we are selling, made by Prof. Andrew McGreath.

Water	.620
Volatile Matter	10.520
Fixed	82.029
Sulphur	.526
Ash	6.305
	100.000

This comparison shows we are not selling a substitute for Anthracite Coal, but a better Anthracite Coal than anything mixed in Pennsylvania. We solicit your orders. Our price is $6.50 per ton.

Respectfully,

WM. E. WORTH & CO.,

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11.30 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 25 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 22 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	4 35 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	5 50 p m	3 23 a m
Ar. Richmond	7 15 p m	4 57 a m
Ar. Washington	4 p m	8 a m
Ar. Baltimore	4 p m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 35 a m	4 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk		8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	2 55 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	4 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	5 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	11 00 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 05 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily	Daily	Daily Via Wilson
Lv Wilmington	6 00 am	2 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar Florence	9 35 am	7 40 pm	1 54 am
Ar Charlest'n	1 20 pm	11 40 pm	6 50 am
Ar Savannah	6 15 pm	2 50 am	9 05 am
Ar Jack'ville		8 40 am	1 45 pm
Ar Tampa		6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8 40 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 16 a m
Lv. Charleston	4 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar. Florence	7 25 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar. 3 00 p m
Ar. Fayetteville	12 20 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar. 12 20 p m
Ar. Newbern	6 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

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WOMAN HUMILIATED AT THE WHITE HOUSE

Statement of the Ejectment of Congressman Hull's Sister on Wednesday—She had Insomnia.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Mrs. Minor Morris, who yesterday was ejected from the White House after insisting upon seeing the President, to-day is in a state of nervous collapse. In response to inquiries, she sent word by a near friend that although she keenly felt the humiliation to which she had been subjected, she proposed to allow the matter to drop.

Mrs. Morris was charged in the police court to-day with disorderly conduct. She did not answer to her name, and the $5 collateral which was put up for her was forfeited.

A statement was issued to-day from the White House concerning the ejectment of Mrs. Morris. The statement says that on account of Mrs. Morris' loud talk and shrieks when told that in the interest of order to have her in the interest of order to have her removed. She was accordingly taken in charge by a police officer. He asked her to go with him quietly. She refused and told him that she was removed, she would be dragged every step of the way. Before applying force the officer asked her three times to leave the office quietly. She shrieked her refusal to each request and was then led from the room. She struggled violently with two police officers all the way from the office building to the eastern entrance of the White House. As soon as she was outside of the office building she threw herself on the ground and it became necessary to carry her. After her arrest she produced an envelope addressed to the President, which she asked to have delivered to him. This envelope was found to contain a lengthy poem, on the subject of insomnia, which she said was her own composition. She stated to the officers that she had not slept for seven night's past. There is no truth whatever in the statement made by many of this morning's papers that a negro laid hold of Mrs. Morris and assisted in carrying her. One of the colored messengers of the office followed the policeman and gathered up such small articles as were dropped in the woman's struggles; but there was no other foundation whatever for the statement."

NEW HAVEN MURDER MYSTERY.

Charles T. Hiller Brother-in-Law of Murdered Man is Watched.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 5.—Coroner Mix, after hearing testimony this afternoon and tonight relative to the death of Charles A. Edwards, of New York, who was found with a bullet wound in his head at the home of Charles A. Hiler Wednesday morning, declined to make a statement. A. Maxcy Hiller is held by the coroner as a witness but is at his home, guarded by a uniformed policeman. The coroner said tonight, however, that no charge of any kind had been made against any person.

A. Maxcy Hiller said late today that he would establish an alibi when the proper time came, but refused to discuss the mysterious case further.

The witnesses in the inquest today were Charles Hiller and Margaret Reynolds, the latter a servant in the house where Mr. Edwards was killed. No statement was given out as to the purport of their evidence.

A. Maxcy Hiller's counsel said today that no writ of habeas corpus will be sued out for the release of his client and that he is satisfied that Mr. Hiller could have had no motive for injuring Mr. Edwards.

Mr. Edwards, it is pointed out, probably was not an heir to any of the Hiller property left by Mrs. Abigail Hiller, and that his death would not in any way effect Mr. Hiller. An investigation was made today regarding the report of missing papers alleged to have been taken from the clothes of the victim of the shooting but nothing new developed along that line. The reported missing papers are alleged to consist of a diary compiled by a former servant of the Hiller family and its value in establishing a motive for the posisble crime is not known.

One of the interesting developments during the day and which at first looked to be important, was that Charles A. Hiller had turned over two pistols to the coroner for his inspection, the coroner later giving them to a gunsmith. It has since developed that these weapons were old firearms which had been a part of a coleiction in the Hiller homestead for years. The theory that the fatal shot was fired with one of these pistols is not seriously entertained by the police.

Although the police have not given up the hope of finding the weapon which caused the death of Mr. Edwards, they are convinced that it is nowhere about the Hiller homestead. Today the coroner ordered the search there discontinued.

ANNOYED THE PRESIDENT.

Arrest of New Jersey Man Who Wrote Insulting Letters.

By Wire to The Morning Star

Mont Clair, N. J., Jan. 5.—John Peabody, who lives just over the Orange mountains here, was arrested by secret service officers from Washington today on a charge of annoying President Roosevelt. For months the President,it is alleged, has been receiving letters attacking him for his position on the Panama Canal question, on railroad rebates, and in fact, on every prominent public matter that has come up for discussion. These letters are said to have been offensive. Peabody was taken before the authorities and upon promising to cease annoying the President with his letters, he was allowed to go.

TARIFF RELIEF FOR PHILIPPINES

Representative Champ Clark, of Missouri, Democrat, Addressed House in Favor of Bill

STAND-PATTERS WERE HIT

Missourian Kept House in Roar of Laughter With His Sallies at Republicans—Beet Sugar Growers Against Measure.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, Jan. 5.—"Champ Clark Democracy" was expounded to the delight and entertainment of the House for three hours to-day by Mr. Clark, of Missouri, and constituted the feature of the debate on the Philippine tariff bill. Mr. Clarke's speech took a wide range and during its progress he labeled his political beliefs as above in answer to a question as to what kind of Democrat he really was. He talked of the Philippines and favored the pending bill; he discussed the general tariff question and in particular the German tariff situation. He ascribed future greatness to what he termed the great "stand pat" disciples—one of these Secretary Shaw, whose record as Secretary of the Treasury, included, he said, classifying frogs' legt as poultry and ponies as "household articles," for the collection of revenue, was a logical Republican Presidential possibility unless the mantle should fall on "the gray and grizzled speaker, Uncle Joe Cannon."

Illustrating changes in the tobacco industry, Mr. Clark caused laughter on both sides of the chamber by declaring that there were in his district 150 brick houses and 100 brick barns, all equal in architectual beauty to the executive offices occupied by President Roosevelt, all built out of the profits of tobacco raised and sold during the Civil War for more than one dollar a pound.

Having his attention called to the "Sugar Trust" by a question from Mr. Broussard (La.), he declared dramatically: "I'll tell you about the Sugar Trust—if the beet sugar people over here will vote with us to wipe out the differential tariff of 26 1-2 cents on refined sugar, we will kill the Sugar Trust as dead as a mullet."

A question which was immeasurably greater in importance than the Philippine sugar question, Mr. Clark declared, was the German tariff situation and the Dingley tariff in general. He quoted Governor Cummins, of Iowa, as saying that all of the insurance stealing and other irregularities was not a tithe to the stealing that is going on under the Dingley tariff law. Referring to the "stand pat" doctrine held by the Republicans, he said, "that phrase Senator Hanna stole from the poker table; if he were alive now he would see that the Republican party has a bob-tailed flush on the tariff question now." (Laughter).

Mr. Clark asked of Mr. Payne (N. Y.): "Are we to have a public building bill this session?"

"I don't know."

"Well, why don't you know?"

"Because I am not interested."

"That's just it. You have got yours." (Laughter).

Mr. Clark then addressed himself to the "kindergarten" members of the House and advised them to take notice. If there was necessity for an appropriation to carry on river and harbor work already begun it might be had, but not a cent for new work or public buildings.

Mr. Watson (Ind.), wanted to know what kind of a Democrat Mr. Clark was.

"I am a Champ Clark Democrat," he rejoined amid hearty laughter.

First asking any Republican if he considered free trade a crime and getting an affirmative answer from Mr. Mahon (Pa.), Mr. Clark asserted "you are just the man for whom I am looking, for I want to pump something into you." He then read a paragrph praising Thomas H. Benton for his efforts to put salt on the free list.

"Is that free trade doctrine?"

"No," interjected Mr. Grosvenor.

"Oh, you know who wrote it," rejoined Mr. Clark. "But here," pointing to Mr. Mahon, "is the man I am after. He will have to admit that the man who wrote it is a criminal."

Mr. Grosvener explained that President Roosevelt in his younger days had written the sentiment.

"I am not a defender of the President," said Mr. Clark.

"Nor I," interjected Mr. Grosvenor.

"Well, I am glad of it," continued Mr. Clark, "for I do not think he wants to be defended by having the baby act pleaded for him. He would not do that himself. Neither can any Republican Representative call him a criminal, for if he did, the President would cut off his 'pap' (laughter), and a Republican Congressman without 'pap' is nothing."

Mr. Clark in closing, after holding the floor for three hours, predicted that the frank discussion of the tariff which he believed would result from the consideration of the present bill, would be of great benefit to the country.

The fight against the bill was opened in the interest of the beet sugar industry by Mr. Fordney, of Michigan. He recalled the Republican membership to its pledges on the "stand pat" tariff planks of the party.

The House adjourned at 5 o'clock until to-morrow.

The Senate.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Without taking up any specific bill, the Senate committee on Interstate Commerce devoted two hours to-day to a discussion of proposed railroad rate legislation. It was determined practically that the various pending bills will be taken up in turn. Senator Newland's bill will be considered at the next meeting.

Senator Dolliver moved to take up his bill and consider it section by section. He argued that if the bill could be taken up and all portions on which the committee could not agree voted out, it would furnish a basis for an early report to the Senate. He failed to obtain the adoption of his motion. After the session of the committee, Senators Dolliver and Tillman conferred for more than an hour. The Dolliver bill is regarded as a measure likely to draw administration support and the author, therefore, is making an earnest effort to shape it so that it will command aid from the Democratic Senators. As a party, the minority will support rate regulating legislation, but the members are not in greater harmony than the Republicans as to the bill they would favor.

So far as could be learned to-day, the Senate Democrats will not unite on any bill. Senator Tillman said today that Senator Dolliver's bill was an elaboration of the ideas that he has advanced in his brief measure and that he could support it "if no attempt is made to make the Democrats the tail of the President's kite."

23 BODIES RECOVERED.

Ghastly Result of Mine Explosion—Dead Men Had Hands To Their Faces.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Bluefield, W. Va., Jan. 5.—The bodies of the twenty-three miners killed in the gas explosion in the Cooper coal mine at Coaldale, W. Va., yesterday, have been recovered. Hundreds of people today visited the scene of the explosion. The twenty-three bodies were recovered by the rescue parties that worked last night and today. The bodies were taken from the shaft and carried to a house adjoining the big tipple at the mine entrance and laid there in a row, their faces covered and their hands and feet crossed. All of the bodies have been identified but there is some trouble in finding out where the men lived, at least those who were not residents of Coaldale. Nearly all of the twenty-three victims were found lying with their hands covering their faces. One was stone dead, sitting on a pile of coal, his hands covering his face. The scene about the entrance near that section affected most by the explosion indicated its terrible force. The big timbers holding up the top of the mine were hurled from the drifts, one piece going across a narrow valley, mowing down small trees on the opposite side. Mine cars were blown out of the opening and wrecked about the entrance and material, tools and appliances were scattered about in great confusion.

FIGHTING STANDARD OIL.

Missouri Endeavoring to Break Up Pooling Arrangement.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

New York, Jan. 5.—The taking of testimony in two suits brought by the State of Misosuri to oust the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, and the Republic Oil Company from Missouri, and to prevent the carrying out of an alleged pooling agreement among the companies mentioned, was begun here today before Frederick W. Sanborn, a special commissioner appointed by Governor Folk. Herbert S. Hadley, Attorney General of Missiouri, conducted the State's case and attempted to show from the witnesses introduced that the Waters-Pierce and Republic companies were in reality but subsidiary companies of the Standard Oil Company, the Indiana branch of which conducts the Standard's business in the West.

During to-day's hearing there were a number of lively tilts between opposing lawyers. E. T. Bedford, a director of the Standard Oil Company, refused absolutely to answer any questions involving the Standard Oil Company's affairs. He said he took the attitude on the advice of counsel and had no other reason for doing so. A. V. Jockel, formerly a bookkeeper for the Standard Oil Company, said he was transferred to the Waters-Pierce company's office at Oklahoma City without resigning his position with the Standard. He said he had been instructed to say that the Waters-Pierce company was an independent concern, but declared the Waters-Pierce barrels were filled with oil from Standard barrels.

NO MORE FREE EXPRESS.

Companies Join Railroads in Discontinuing Free Horse Business.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, Jan. 5.—The express companies have decided to join with the railroads in refusing to issue passes for the carrying of business free of charge. Announcement to this effect was made to-day at the office of the Adams Express Company in the following statement:

"The action of the railroads in cutting off free busines has made it practically necessary for the express companies to do likewise. Accordingly all the leading expresses have issued orders that on and after January 15th they will not carry any business free of charge as a personal courtesy to merchants or other patrons or for any other reasons. They will continue to exchange annual passes with each other and with railroad lines."

DUKE DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS.

Mrs. Duke Fails to Carry Case Into New York.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 5.—The Court of Errors and Appeals to-day denied the application of Mrs. Lillian M. Duke for a stay in the divorce proceedings instituted against her by her husband, James B. Duke, pending an appeal to that court from Vice Chancellor Pitney's decision holding Mr. Duke to a be a resident of New Jersey.

In the divorce proceedings instituted by Mr. Duke, the wife raised the question of jurisdiction, claiming that Mr. Duke was not a resident of New Jersey. Vice Chancellor Pitney decided against her, but expressed the hope that the question of the residence would be carried to the higher court for review. As a result of to-day's decision the divorce proceedings will go on.

SANTO DOMINGO REVOLUTION.

Report from Washington That Troops Are Dispersing.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Cable advices to-day at the State Department from SanDomingo announce that the revolution is practically at an end, the troops are dispersing to their homes and the country is again becoming quiet. Advices to the War Department from Colonel Colton, receiver of customs in San Domingo, were that Morales had been legally impeached by Congress.

HORROR TALE FROM RUSSIA

Unparalleled Fiendishness of Soldiers Towards People in Disturbed Districts

BABES CARRIED ON BAYONETS

Military Employed Mercilessly to Suppress Revolutionists—Rebels Murdering Policemen—Witte to Retire Soon.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 5.—The government's victory over the revolutionists has been quite decisive, although open revolution continues in many places in the interior. The military are employed mercilessly and gradually the movement is being stifled. There are signs, however, that the policy of repression may be carried to a point which is sure to again arouse the resentment and discontent of the classes which shrank from the violent programme of the "Reds." In St. Peters burg for instance, the wholesale perquisitions of the police have been succeeded by a particularly offensive measure of the prefect of police which practicaly gives the Dvorniks or house porters a free hand to search private lodgings for arms and suspicious persons for documents, offering them a premium of fifty cents for the discovery, of every revolver or bomb and twenty-five cents for a knife. Such a measure naturaly will arouse the cupidity of the house porters and restore the intolerable system of personal espionage which was in vogue in the time of the late interior minister Von Plehve. Thirty-five arrests were made last night.

Revolutionists Kill Policemen.

Riga, Livonia, Jan. 5.—The revolutionists today killed two more policemen here in broad daylight making the number for the last three months twenty-eight.

The devastation of estates by the peasants in Esthonia proceeds furiously. In Dorpat and Pernau districts twenty buildings were burned last week. The authorities are despatching military expeditions with artillery in all directions.

In Courland no mercy was shown where revolutionary bands refused to surrender. The troops filled the towns and villages.

Awful Times in Baltic.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 6.—1:55 A. M.—The Associated Press has been permitted to inspect a report prepared for the Emperor regarding the situation in the Baltic provinces. The report declares that though open revolt has been crushed in many parts of the provinces and though the local authorities who were deposed by the revolutionists are resuming the reins of government under the protection of the troops, the situation is still a very serious one.

The advices received by the government report the capture of an important arsenal of the revolutionists at Temernik in southern Russia, in which were found not only rifles, bombs and explosives, but also a small field piece. Another arsenal near Nakhitechevan caught fire and an explosion followed, resulting in the killing of twelve persons and the wounding of nine others.

Witte to Retire.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 5.—The Novoe Vremya is printing a series of articles in defence of Premier Witte, which are attracting much attention, and are assumed to be inspired by the Premier Himself. The most important statement made is that Witte has taken a definite resolution to retire as soon as the National Assembly meets. With the turning over of reins of power to the people's representatives he will regard his task as finished.

Horrible Stories.

New York, Jan. 5.—Reports that the dead are mutilated to terrify the living in Russia were brought here today by Russian refugees, seven hundred of whom arrived on the steamer Pennsylvania. One woman told of having seen a young married woman kill her child sooner than let the Cossacks murder the infant.

Another refugee, related that in the town of Novo Moscov, five drunken soldiers marched through the streets carrying arms, a dead baby with a bayonet run through its body, being displayed at the end of each gun.

Leiver Landominski, a dry goods merchant, said that it was a common thing to see men strung up feet first and lying dead along the route of the railroad.

MISSING $18,000 PACKAGE.

Columbia Denies Theft But Other Losses Occurred There.

By Wire to The Morning Star

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 5.—Nothing can be learned here regarding the alleged loss of $18,000 from an express package en route between Augusta, Ga., and New York. J. R. Fant, route agent of this division, believes the loss occurred outside of his territory. The package was in Columbia two hours between 3:30 and 6 o'clock in the morning, but has been traced to New York in apparent good order. However, this is known as a "concealed loss," and the robery might have occurred even before the package left Augusta. T. W. Leary, general manager of the Southern Express Company, is here making an investigation. Within the last few years the Southern Express Company has lost two $10,000 packages here, neither of which was ever found.

REVENUE MAN CONVICTED.

Deputy Collector Patterson Made False Entries in Expense Account.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Greensboro, N. C., Jan. 5.—The noted trial of the case of the United States against former Deputy Revenue Collector A. S. Patterson, charged with making false entries in his expense account, in the Federal Court to-day ended in a verdict of guilty. District Attorney Holton and Assistant District Attorney Price, presented the side of the prosecution for the defendant. Ex-Governor Aycock and Cyrus B. Watson, made the ipening and concluding appeals.

WARM WIRELETS.

Eugene M. McLean, who since 1881 had held the office of chief engineer in the comptrollers office in New York city, died there last night. He was aide de camp to Jeffersona Davis at the outbreak of the Civil War.

The sum of $150,000 appropriated by the State of Virginia to the Jamestown Exposition, was yesterday turned over to the Exposition Company. Some time ago $50,000 was paid, and yesterday's payment completed the total appropriation of $200,000.

The following message was received by the Navy Department by wireless telegraphy from Commander Hosley, commanding the dry dock Dewey expedition, dated January 4th, 8:10 P. M.: "Bad weather. Heavy winds and sea west. Doing well and heading southeast. Holding our own."

A resolution was adopted by the Mississippi Senate yesterday ordering an investigation of the alleged lumber trust. A committee is named for the investigation and is authorized to summon all the witnesses wanted. The resolution says that the price of lumber and building material has steadily increased without reason.

The Baltimore grand jury, which, on last Wednesday found presentments against J. Wilcox Brown, Henry J. Bowdoin and J. Bernard Scott, former officials of the Maryland Trust Company, for alleged frauds, each of whom had been placed under a bond of $10,000, decided yesterday upon a reconsideration, to ignore the indictments, and the defendants were discharged.

Fire which started at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the main gas building of the Charlotte Consolidated Construction Company, almost total desiroyed the building, entailing a loss of $50,000 of more. The main gas tank, only a few feet distant, was uninjured. Enough of the machinery was saved to continued the manufacture of gas and the users are not inconvenienced.

A petition signed by nearly a hundred prominent people, reciting that there is reasonable doubt of his guilt and asking for executive clemency for Lawyer Patrick, sentenced to die January 22nd for the murder of Millionaire Rice, in New York was received by Governor Higgins yesterday. Dr. Parkhurst, Grover Cleveland, John G. Carlisle are among the names on the paper. The Governor has announced no decision as yet.

Additional safeguards are thrown about the secrecy of Government crop reports by a bill which Representative Burleson of Texas has introduced in Congress. The measure not only provides for the punishment of government employes who divulge secret information before its official publication, but also provides punishment for employes who use this information in operating on the stock markets, even if it is not given to other persons.

In response to a request of the New Orleans and several other cotton exchanges the Secretary of Commerce and Labor yesterday instructed the director of the census to postpone the publication of the cotton ginning report from Monday, January 8, to Tuesday, January 9, at 2 o'clock P. M. January 8th was found to be a legal holiday in the State of Louisiana, and on that account postponement of a day was determined upon.

Representatives Reeder, of Kansas, introduced a resolution in Congress yesterday requesting the Attorney General to investigate and report to the House whether there exists or has existed a combination or agreement between the Pennsylvania Railway system with the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, the Baltimore and Ohio Railway Company, the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railway Company, and the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, or any two or more of these companies, in violation of the anti-trust law.

Bradstreet's review this week says that while unreasonable weather adversely affects retail trade and re-orders from wholesalers, Spring trade really shows more than usual life, requests for prompt shipments being lier than usual. December was perhaps the best month of 1905 for the railways with an indicated gain of 12 per cent. over December, 1904. Southern trade reports are relatively the best of all, reflecting good cotton prices and an abundance of money among farmers. Business failures for the week, 229 against 278 in 1905.

FINANCIAL WRECK CERTAIN.

Cleveland's Secretary of Treasury Joins in Alarm.

New York, Jan. 5.—Lyman J. Gage, former Secretary of the Treasury, said today that he agrees with Jacob H. Schiff in the opinion that a great panic is inevitable unles steps are taken to remedy the inelasticity of the existing currency system.

"I agree positively with Mr. Schiff," said Mr. Gage, "that the monetary conditions which have existed in this country during the last sixty days are disgraceful to us as a nation, and I further agree with him that a stunning panic is but a matter of time unless something is done. The more promptly and effectually this is done the better for the United States. From Mr. Schiff's attitude I infer that he thinks this panic may be precipitated very shortly. I do not exactly agree with that conclusion. In my opinion there is no immediate danger, but the danger itself is apparent and if the country sits passive under existing conditions the country will suffer. I do not understand how any careful and thoughtful financier can fail to realize the peril."

WAS MURDERED AND ROBBED.

Prominent Georgian Found Dead and Watch Missing.

Milledgeville, Ga., Jan. 5.—O. W. Meadows, a prominent farmer and merchant of Hancock county, was found dead today about sunrise some two miles from his home near the residence of W. T. Wood, in Baldwin county. Meadows was shot clean through the body near the heart and must have died instantly. He was found sitting in the foot of his buggy with his head on the seat. The killing is supposed to have been done with a pistol of large calibre or a Winchester rifle. Meadows' watch was missing. He leaves a wife and family.

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NEW JERSEY WOMAN TO HANG.

Killed Man Who Attemped to Assault Her.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Kackensack, N. J., Jan. 5.—An appeal to save Mrs. Antonioette Tolla, of this city from being hanged on January 12th, is said to have been sent to President Roosevelt by the Susan B. Anthony Club, of Cincinnati, O. In this appeal the following question was asked:

"Can a woman be hanged in New Jersey for defending her honor in her own home?"

Mrs. Tolla, who is a young woman, shot an Italian, who she said attempted to attack her in her own home. A jury found her guilty of murder.

SENSATION IN GERMANY.

Eminent Men Convicted, Hangs Himself In Prison.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

Darmstadt, Grand Duchy of Hesse, Germany, Jan. 5.—Prof. Dr. Chelius, head of the mining department of the Technical University here, hanged himself in prison to-day. The deceased was convicted yesterday of criminal improprieties and sentenced to two years imprisonment. He had previously a distinguished social and professional reputation. His death in the tragical end of a great sensation in Germany. The trial at which he was convicted was held in private.

MAJ. W. C. PETTY DEAD.

Passed Away Yesterday at Carthage—Prominent Business Man.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., January 5.—Major William C. Petty died at 12:30 this afternoon at his home in Carthage, after an illness. His death deprives Moore county and central North Carolina of one of its most valued business men and a Christian gentleman. He was president of the Carthage Railroad, constructed by his efforts, and was interested in many other enterprises. He is survived by his wife, three sons and three daughters. The funeral will be at Carthage Sunday morning.

Coast Line Travel.

Savannah News: A gentleman who came in on one of the Atlantic Coast Line trains yesterday paused to remark upon the crowded coaches. "One of the Coast Line officials told me," he said, "that if that company should place an order for 5,000 passenger coaches and 1,000 locomotives to be placed in service as rapidly as they could be built that that there would be no surplus of power or equipment. His idea is, of course, that the traffic would grow as fast as the equipment could be furnished. I believe what he said," continued the traveller. "No one except the local traveller knows the amount of travel over the lines entering Savannah."

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North Carolina, Pender County. In the Superior Court, Pender County. O. P. Johnson, on behalf of himself and all other stockholders and creditors who come in and make themselves parties plaintiff, vs. The Burgaw Minufacturing Company. Notice to creditors.

Pursant to an order of the Superior Court issued herein, this is to notify all creditors of the Burgaw Manufacturing Company, a corporation, to file their respective claims, duly proven as the law provides, with the undersigned receivers of said corporation on or before Monday, the 8th day of January, 1906, or they will be denied the right to participate in the assets of said corporation.

This the 8th day of December, 1905.

W. D. CROOM,
L. V. GRADY,
Receivers of the Burgaw Manufacturing Company.
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NOTICE.

Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 4, 1906.

Office of the Treasurer, of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, duly called and held on November 21st, 1905, a dividend of three per cent. was declared on the Common Capital Stock of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., January 10th, 1906, to all stockholders of record as of December 22nd, 1905. The transfer books were closed on December 22nd, 1905. The transfer books were 22nd, 1905, and will be reopened on January 10th, 1906, at 10 o'clock A. M. JAMES F. POST, Treasurer.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court made in the special proceeding of D. C. Love, administrator, vs. Rebecca L. West, et al., the undersigned Commissioner, appointed by said decree, will expose for sale to the highest bidder at public auction, for cash, on Saturday the 13th day of January, 1906, at the Court House door of New Hanover county, in the city of Wilmington, at 12 o'clock M., the following described property, to-wit:—

1st: An undivided one fifth interest in that Lot in the said City beginning in the Eastern line of Third street, 66 feet South of Chesnut street, runs thence southwardly with said line of Third street, 66 feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Chesnut street, 202 feet; thence northwardly parallel with Third street, 66 feet, thence westwardly, 202 feet to the beginning, being west part of Lot 2, Block 180.

2nd: An undivided 10-175 interest in that Lot in said city, beginning at the southwest intersection of Queen and Surry streets, runs thence southwardly with the Eastern line of Surry street, 264 feet; thence West parallel with Queen street, 210 feet to VanBokkelen street; thence North parallel with Surry street, 264 feet to the southern line of Queen street; thence East 210 feet to the beginning, and also that piece adjoining the same beginning at a point in the West line of VanBokkelen street, 246 feet from the southern line of Queen street, and 243 feet from the West line of Surry street, running West parallel with Queen street about 246 feet to the Cape Fear River; thence northwardly with the line of the wharf 100 feet; thence East parallel with the Southern line of Queen street, 82 feet; thence South, 80 feet; thence East parallel with the Southern line of Queen street, 260 feet of the West line of VanBokkelen street; thence southwardly to the beginning; the two parcels constituting one lot.

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